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COORDINATING COMMITTEE

RECORD OF DISCUSSION

ON

ITEM 1533 - RADIO SPECTRUM ANALYZERS

8th December, 1959

Present: Belgium(Luxembourg), Canada, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, United Kingdom, United States.

References: COCOM Documents 3715.29/2 and W.P. 1533/1.

1. The CHAIRMAN reminded the Committee that as a result of the changes made in the definition of Item 1529, a new definition for Item 1533 had been submitted in Working Paper 1533/1. He invited Delegates to confirm their agreement to this new text.

2. The FRENCH Delegate stated that his Government could accept the new definition of Item 1533 as shown in W.P. 1533/1. He would be glad, however, if in sub-item (b), after the words "interchangeable heads"/following parenthetical phrase could be inserted: "i.e. amplifier heads and frequency-changing devices". The Delegate stated that his proposal did not affect the scope of the new definition and was intended solely to explain what was meant by "interchangeable heads".

3. The UNITED STATES Delegate asked his French colleague if it would not be possible to say: "interchangeable heads, i.e. radio-electric frequency tuning systems".

4. The FRENCH Delegate stated that he would have no difficulty in accepting this wording.

5. Other Delegations had no objections to the change proposed or to the text of the new definition.

CONCLUSION: The COMMITTEE agreed to amend the definition of Item 1533 in the manner shown below:

"Radio spectrum analyzers (being apparatus capable of indicating the single-frequency components of multifrequency oscillations) as follows:

- (a) Designed to operate at frequencies over 500 Mc/s;
- (b) Designed to operate at frequencies over 300 Mc/s and using interchangeable heads (i.e., radio-electric frequency tuning systems) and incorporating integral sweep facilities;
- (c) Specialised components, accessories and parts of (a) and (b)."

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